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**COMMENTS:**

Ms. Wallace,

Please see the attached remarks. I will call to confirm receipt later today.

Regards,

Chris Stow

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**STATUS INQUIRY AND REMARKS**

Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the attorney named below be advised of the status of the Revocation of Power of Attorney and Appointment of New Power of Attorney filed on June 15, 2007 in the above reference application. A copy of the Revocation of Power of Attorney and Appointment of New Power of Attorney, Appendix A to the Revocation and Appointment, and Statement Under 37 CF 3.73(b) are attached.

A Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 was mailed in this application on July 10, 2006. On October 10, 2006, Applicant's attorneys, Mayer, Brown, Rowe & Maw LLP filed an Application Transmittal Form including all necessary documents except the requested "Sequence Listing" documents and Amendment. The application may have gone abandoned on February 10, 2007 due to the failure to file the requested "Sequence Listing" documents.

On March 1, 2007, prosecution of the above reference application was transferred to Nutter McClennen & Fish LLP. After reviewing the disclosure of the above referenced

application, we do not believe a "Sequence Listing" is required. The disclosure does not contain any nucleotide or amino acid sequences, and therefore does not require a "Sequence Listing" to comply with 37 CFR 1.821-1.825. Applicant respectfully submits that the request for "Sequence Listing" documents in the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 mailed on July 10, 2006 was made in error. Applicant's response filed on October 10, 2006 therefore completely satisfies the requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371.

In view of the above, Applicant requests that the Commissioner enter the previously filed response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 of the above reference application.

Dated: *Sept. 4, 2007*

Respectfully submitted,

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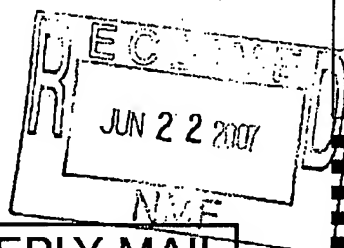
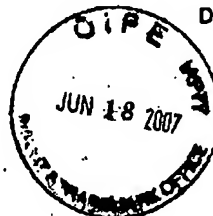
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